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Mother McAuley Liberal Arts High School

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SPANISH ORAL POETRY COMPETITION

Mother McAuley High School students Mary Baker, Hannah Bowens, Lisa Burns, Liz Gamez and Giselle Martinez participated in the Oral Poetry Recitation Competition at Proviso West High School. The competition is sponsored by the Chicago Area Chapter of the American Association of Teachers of Spanish and Portuguese.

To compete, the students are required to recite a poem from memory and are judged on poise, poetic expression, intonation, accuracy of pronunciation, and smoothness of delivery.

Senior Liz Gamez of West Lawn and junior Mary Baker of Beverly each received a 3rd Place ranking in the competition. Juniors Hannah Bowens of Beverly, Giselle Martinez of Blue Island, and sophomore Lisa Burns of Beverly each received a 2nd Place ranking in the competition.



McAuley students (front row) Giselle Martinez, Liz Gamez, (back row) Lisa Burns, Hanna Bowen and Mary Baker, accompanied by their teacher Mrs. Nina Lesch, competed in the AATSP Oral Poetry Competition.